

" I AIN'T GONNA LET NOBODY TURN ME AROUND"

BLACK MUSIC and the FREEDOM MOVEMENT

. . . Songs of Hope and Sorrow . . .

A Program to Commemorate the
Fifty-Fourth Birthday of

DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.



JANUARY 13, 1983

Thursday - 7 P.M.

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Newark, New Jersey

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The Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Nonviolent Social Change
sponsored by Essex County College and the
Essex County Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs

DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. was the preeminent modern advocate of nonviolent social change. Dr. King and his policy of nonviolent protest, was the dominant force in the civil rights movement during its decade of greatest achievement, from 1957 to 1968.

The Carter G. Woodson Foundation in cooperation with Essex County College and the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Non-Violent Social Change is presenting this commemorative program for several reasons. First, we believe it is of the utmost importance that we promote the nonviolent philosophy of Dr. King and extend for future generations an appreciation of his contributions to our nation's well-being. Secondly we hope to enlist interest and participation in the national public fundraising campaign of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Non-Violent Social Change. Finally, we wish to support the efforts of the millions of Americans throughout the nation who are working to have January 15, Dr. King's birthday mandated as a legal federal holiday.

We urge you to join with us in this important undertaking to keep the dream of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. alive in our community and throughout America.

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A commemorative program honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. focusing on the role of music and inspirational songs during the civil rights struggle.

Featuring

Ms. Dorothy Cotton

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Rev. George Ryder, Jr., *Narrator*

and

The Essex County College Community Gospel Choir

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